

HOUSE BILL 971

By McManus

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39,
Chapter 17, Part 16, relative to the Children's Act
for Clean Indoor Air.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1603, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated item:

(_) "Restaurant" means any public place kept, used, maintained, advertised and held out to the public as a place where meals are served for a fee and where meals are actually and regularly served.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1604, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated item:

(_) Restaurants. Adult employees and patrons may be permitted to smoke in designated smoking areas to which children are not allowed access;

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2007, the public welfare requiring it.